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# Virginia Broilers



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## Virginia Placements Down 22 Percent From A Year Ago

Virginia placements are estimated at **4,057,000** chicks. This was **down 16 percent** from the previous week and **down 22 percent** from last year. There were **6,223,000** eggs set in Virginia hatcheries. This was **down 1 percent** from the previous week and **down 3 percent** from last year.

## 19 State Placements Down 4 Percent From Last Year

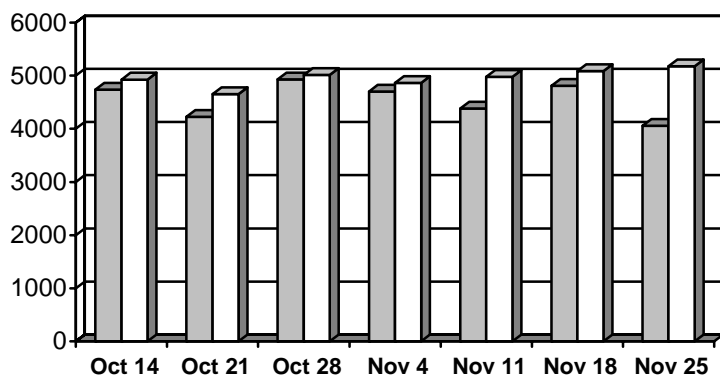
In the 19 states, **161,965,000** chicks were placed during the week. Placements were **up 3 percent** from the previous week but **down 4 percent** from last year. Eggs set during the week ending November 25 totaled **209,492,000**. This was **up slightly** from the previous week **but down 3 percent** from last year.

## Virginia Broiler Totals

| Chicks Placed |    |          |          | Eggs Set         |             |    |          |          |                  |
|---------------|----|----------|----------|------------------|-------------|----|----------|----------|------------------|
| Week Ending   |    | 2005     | 2006     | % of Yr. Earlier | Week Ending |    | 2005     | 2006     | % of Yr. Earlier |
|               |    | -thous.- | -thous.- |                  |             |    | -thous.- | -thous.- |                  |
| October       | 21 | 4,651    | 4,222    | 91               | October     | 21 | 6,190    | 5,782    | 93               |
|               | 28 | 5,013    | 5,039    | 101              |             | 28 | 6,373    | 5,744    | 90               |
| November      | 4  | 4,859    | 4,697    | 97               | November    | 4  | 6,511    | 5,328    | 82               |
|               | 11 | 4,976    | 4,382    | 88               |             | 11 | 6,374    | 6,255    | 98               |
|               | 18 | 5,083    | 4,808    | 95               |             | 18 | 6,377    | 6,277    | 98               |
|               | 25 | 5,175    | 4,057    | 78               |             | 25 | 6,388    | 6,223    | 97               |

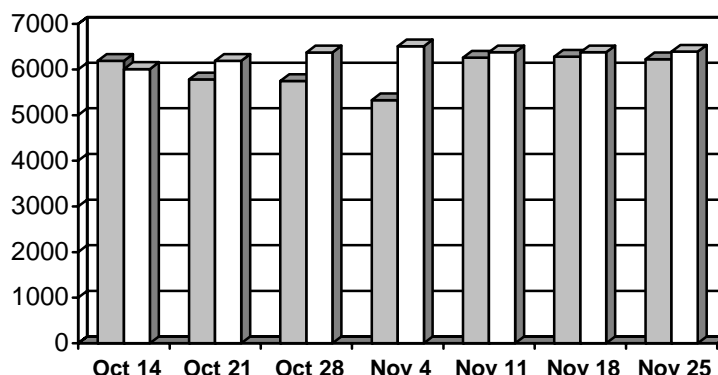
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## Chicks Placed



■ 2006 □ 2005

## Eggs Set



■ 2006 □ 2005

Broiler-Type Eggs Set, 19 Selected States

| State               | Week Ending |          |          |          |          |         |
|---------------------|-------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|---------|
|                     |             |          |          |          |          |         |
|                     | Oct 21      | Oct 28   | Nov 4    | Nov 11   | Nov 18   | Nov 25  |
|                     | 2006        | 2006     | 2006     | 2006     | 2006     | 2006    |
|                     | Thousand    |          |          |          |          |         |
| AL                  | 30,217      | 26,736   | *28,406  | 30,879   | 29,562   | 29,777  |
| AR                  | 27,581      | 27,264   | *27,780  | 29,669   | *29,771  | 29,433  |
| DE                  | 3,732       | 3,402    | 3,761    | 3,690    | *3,830   | 3,837   |
| FL                  | 1,372       | 1,364    | 1,367    | 1,354    | 1,359    | 1,356   |
| GA                  | 32,473      | 32,551   | 32,062   | 34,004   | *33,827  | 34,780  |
| KY                  | *6,732      | *7,468   | *6,586   | 7,186    | *7,537   | 7,572   |
| LA                  | 3,802       | 3,742    | 3,802    | 3,742    | 3,712    | 3,712   |
| MD                  | 8,445       | 8,411    | 8,685    | 8,295    | 8,616    | 8,609   |
| MS                  | 16,094      | 14,391   | 17,123   | 16,921   | 17,599   | 18,123  |
| NC                  | 17,758      | 18,182   | *18,290  | 18,428   | *18,563  | 18,235  |
| OK                  | 6,232       | 6,385    | 6,070    | 6,202    | *6,573   | 6,403   |
| PA                  | 3,721       | 3,388    | 3,595    | *3,897   | *3,999   | 3,809   |
| SC                  | 5,481       | 5,052    | 4,763    | 5,460    | 5,487    | 5,384   |
| TX                  | 12,525      | 12,600   | *13,673  | 13,684   | 14,040   | 14,326  |
| VA                  | 5,782       | 5,744    | 5,328    | 6,255    | 6,277    | 6,223   |
| CA, MO, TN, & WV    | *14,865     | *16,147  | *17,076  | 17,861   | *18,152  | 17,913  |
| 19 State Total      | *196,812    | *192,827 | *198,367 | *207,527 | *208,904 | 209,492 |
| Previous Year Total | 202,413     | 199,322  | 206,422  | 210,900  | 212,945  | 215,393 |
| Pct. of Prev. Year  | 97          | 97       | 96       | 98       | 98       | 97      |

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Broiler Chicks Placed, 19 Selected States

| State               | Week Ending |         |          |          |          |         |
|---------------------|-------------|---------|----------|----------|----------|---------|
|                     |             |         |          |          |          |         |
|                     | Oct 21      | Oct 28  | Nov 4    | Nov 11   | Nov 18   | Nov 25  |
|                     | 2006        | 2006    | 2006     | 2006     | 2006     | 2006    |
|                     | Thousand    |         |          |          |          |         |
| AL                  | 19,923      | 20,125  | 19,657   | *19,638  | 17,292   | 18,768  |
| AR                  | 23,702      | 22,474  | 22,444   | 20,938   | *21,612  | 21,931  |
| DE                  | 4,809       | 4,965   | *5,241   | 5,773    | *4,182   | 5,070   |
| FL                  | 1,449       | 1,389   | 1,428    | 1,400    | 1,209    | 1,439   |
| GA                  | 27,415      | 28,785  | 28,334   | 26,793   | *26,482  | 26,483  |
| KY                  | 5,469       | 6,126   | 5,576    | *5,934   | *6,503   | 5,218   |
| LA                  | 3,470       | 3,107   | 3,907    | 3,950    | 3,365    | 3,768   |
| MD                  | 6,446       | 6,031   | *5,511   | 4,676    | *6,012   | 5,972   |
| MS                  | 14,477      | 15,205  | 15,375   | 14,645   | 12,830   | 15,453  |
| NC                  | 15,277      | 14,299  | 14,066   | 15,056   | *14,682  | 15,428  |
| OK                  | 4,211       | 4,706   | 4,498    | 5,020    | *4,820   | 3,948   |
| PA                  | 2,856       | 2,882   | 2,782    | *2,606   | *2,589   | 2,680   |
| SC                  | 4,271       | 4,463   | 4,630    | 4,315    | 4,340    | 3,966   |
| TX                  | 11,991      | 12,609  | 12,323   | 10,630   | 10,662   | 11,603  |
| VA                  | 4,222       | 5,039   | 4,697    | 4,382    | 4,808    | 4,057   |
| CA, MO, TN, & WV    | *15,123     | 15,475  | *15,066  | *14,688  | *15,136  | 16,181  |
| 19 State Total      | *165,111    | 167,680 | *165,535 | *160,444 | *156,524 | 161,965 |
| Previous Year Total | 166,512     | 170,277 | 165,230  | 165,141  | 162,967  | 169,218 |
| Pct. of Prev. Year  | 99          | 98      | 100      | 97       | 96       | 96      |

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